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**Section E. –Completing the Application Process** 

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## **Summary**

We have changed Clarifying Information under WAC 388-406-0060 as follows:

When the thirty-day period ends on a weekend or a holiday, send the denial notice on the **first** working day **after** the thirtieth day.

Federal regulations prohibit a denial before the 30<sup>th</sup> day in the following situation:

- A food assistance applicant fails to appear for a required interview and fails to contact the department to reschedule;
- The thirtieth day after the application date falls on a weekend or holiday; and
- The department denies the application before the thirtieth day.

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